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Remarks

Courtesies extended to Applicant's representatives in the telephone interview conducted October 16, 2006, and in subsequent telephone message exchanges October 18-20, 2006, are gratefully acknowledged. In those exchanges the amendment made herein was discussed. In summary, Applicant understands that by the amendment provided herewith, the claims of the present application may be allowable.

Claims 1-3, 5-23, and 30-37 are pending and under active prosecution. The Listing of Claims with appropriate status identifier begins on page 2 of this communication.

By the present communication, Claims 1-2 are amended to define Applicant's invention with greater particularity. Specifically, Claims 1-2 have been amended to recite that the heat reflective wall paint of either of Claims 1-2 comprises approximately 0.1 to 10 percent of at least one heat reflective metal oxide pigment, support for which is found *inter alia* at paragraphs [0050] and [0060], and in Example 1 of the specification.

Conclusion

Applicant believes that the present application is now in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested. In the event that any matters remain to be resolved in view of this communication, the Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned so that a prompt disposition of this application can be achieved.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0872. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-0872. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers

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submitted herewith, Applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0872.

Respectfully submitted,

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